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father of four children, Brooklyn Dodgers fan, and head of the bureau collecting income taxes from our 50,000,000 taxpayers, has made a ruling that simplifies tax problems for thousands of farmers and

The ruling will prevent a lot of disputes about depreciation — haw much the owner of a cow, a machine, or a factory may deduct from yearly income because the cow is getting old or the machinery wear-

A Fordham University law gradthrough experience as Collector of Internal Revenue in his home town of Brooklyn, N Y, the commissioner took his new job knowing depreciation disputes caused 15.3 percent of complaints to the Internal Revenue

Amending the system of working out new depreciation agree-ments through local officials each year. Nunan has announced that taxpayers may negotiate agree-ments covering depreciation rates and methods for five-year periods. Just now, with war plants getting ready for civilian production, it is essential for businessmen to know in advance what depreciation rates will be allowed on millions of

THE RECORD OF 4-H IN THE WAR

Largest rural youth organization in the world, the i-II Clubs number 1,700,000 boys and girls between the

wail and Paerto Rico,
4-H Club work is under the direction of the Extension Service
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and the U S Department of Agriculture cooperating.
Each 4-H Club member does a

piece of project work, under the supervision of the county extension agent and volunteer local leader, that will demonstrate or teach the better way in homemaking or agri-

Production

Victory Garden products, 400,000 acres; Pouliry products, 33,000,000 birds; Dairy cattle, 300,000 animals; Livestock, 1,600,00 animals; Peanuts, soybeans and other legumes, 200,000 acres.

Values octaves protective compodities, stains, lacquers enamels, varnish thinners, water paints, fillers, printers, and many other miscelaneous items in this category.

Clearance has been obtained from the War production Board permitation unrastricted sale and use of

Conservation

Members canning, storing and drying food, 1,000,000; Products canned, 47,000,000 quarts; Members repairing and remaking clothing, 1,500,000; Members caring for farm machinery, 900,000; Members resultants of the 30 other RFC regions. repairing and remaking clothing, inventory of the first and free will be to the first and home accident hazards, 1,300,000; Members checking food and health habits, 2,300,000; Members having periodic health aveiling the first are the first and health are the first are

the first six months of 1945 are port will explain the requirements trailing quota figures by almost five percent, according to the semi-facilities. annual report just released by the Porest Products Bureau of the War Production Board.

WPB goal,

Total receipts of pulpwood at all U S Mills for the period of January through June of this year were placed at \$,386,500 cords, also about 1 percent behind last year's receipts for the first six months. Domestic receipts contributed 7,649, on cords to the total, with imports of 736,700 cords making up the bal-

The Northeast Region mills ob-tained 1,092,400 cords of domestic pulpwood during the first half of the present year. Canadian im-ports during the same period were 419,600 cords, representing a de-cline of 10 percent from the imports received in the same area during the first six months of 1944.

Domestic pulpwood receipts in follars worth of munitions-making machinery. Nunan's ruling is expected to help industry create thousands of jobs after the war.

Domestic pulpwood receipts in 'this region during the month of June, 1945, equalled 207,300 cords, a 15 percent gain over June of last year. a 15 percent gain over June of last

Inventories in the Northeast Re-gion are about 3 percent below the 1944 level, WPB declared, pointing out that "the inventory situation in this region continues to be criti-cal."

1,700,000 boys and girls between the ages of 10 and 21 years enrolled in 75,000 clubs throughout the United States as well as in Alaska, Hawaii and Puerto Rico,

4-H Club work is under the discending of the European War in 1900 for the Extension Service of the State Agricultural Colleges

The War Production Board state The War Production Board State-ment the added: "Northeast mills will continue to be in need of the maximum possible production of spruce, fir and hemlock throughout 1945.

LIFTING OF WPB RESTRICTION ON SALE OF PAINTS,

tilriture.

4-H boys and girls are practicing democratic procedures and learning to have a deep appreciation of the democratic way of life.

The wartime accomplishments of 4-H members in the three war years since Pearl Harbor include.

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Victory Garden products, 400,000

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VARNISHES AND LACQUERS

The Reconstruction Finance Compounts and other protective continues, and other protective continues, This listing includes a wide variety of phosphorecent papers, calivas protective components, stains, lacquers enamels, variety



Charles L Davis of Portland is in town for a few days. Several cases of whooping cough have developed in the village. Miss Priscilla Farwell spent last

Mrs Ernest Ham, Auburn, is a guest of her aunt, Mrs Ada Durell. Mrs Lillian Nathan of Everett, Mass., is visiting Mrs Parker Con-

week at her home in Andover.

The W S C S met today at 2:30 with Mrs Harry Jordan at Songo

Miss Corrine Boyker spent last week with Miss Rebecca Philbrick in Gorham, Maine.

The Misses Virginia and Marion Chapman, Augusta, were week end visitors in town. Miss Ethel Stone returned to

Portland Wednesday after a few days with friends in town. June Foster of East Bethel returned home Tuesday after spending a week with Mary Ford.

Richard Davis and Edwin Brown, with Carmeno Onofrio of Milan, N H were in Concord, N H, Monday afternoon.

Frank Merrill of Grand Rapids, Mich, is visiting his brother, Fred B Merrill and daughter, Miss Harriette Merrill. Mr and Alrs Carol Sterry of Anson and Mr and Mrs Malcolm Clark of Paris Hill were Sunday guests

of Dr and Mrs S S Greenleaf. Mrs Edith Clement of Gorham, Maine, and son Sgt Robert Clement of Fort Devens were guests of Mrs
H P Austin Friday until Tuesday.
Mr and Mrs Clarence Philbrook Mr and Mrs Clarence Philbrook came Sunday to spend a part of Mr Philbrook's vacation with his parents, Mr and Mrs D C Phil-

Mrs A W Bowden Jr and son, Keith left Saturday for a two weeks visit with Mr and Mrs A W Bow-den at their summer home at, Sandy Point, Maine.

Mr and Mrs Don Brown were guests of Mr and Mrs Edmund

of a local airport or other landing

Mr and Mrs Will Reynolds of Ro-chester, Mass, came Monday forc-non to visit at F J Tyler's, Mrs War Production Board.

Moreover, WPB pointed out, domestic receipts by U S Mills in the afternoon and Dr Tibbetts took the first six month period of this year are actually 1 percent behind last year's receipts covering the is resting comfortably. Mr and Mrs same period, despite the fact that domestic receipts in 1944 were al-most 1.000,000 cords under the 1945 chester, came Tuesday night. Mr chester, came Tuesday night. Mr Reynolds is staying in Lewiston. The others returned home Wednes-

SWAIN-EVANS

Roscoe Swain and Miss Bernice Evans of Bethel were married Sat-urday, July 21, by Rev James Macurday, July 21, by Rev James Mac-Killop at his home in Richmond.

Mrs Swain, the daughter of Mrs ship, but its explosion lifted the ship, but its explosion and the ship out of the water. There was a terrific explosion and the ship when last sighted was burning school. Class of 1945. Mr Swain is the son of Mr and Mrs Edwin Swain of Skillingston. He attended Gould Academy and is now engaged in the trucking business.

Tioy will make their home in one gain of the Bragdon apartments.

Fuel for jet-propelled fighter air eraft currently being supplied by an oil company is described as something between kerosene and gasoline in nature and the lubricants are able to withstand tem-peratures ranging from 80 to 90 leg. F. below zero to 250 degrees

Keeps 'Em Flying

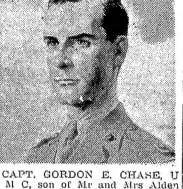


Grease monkey extraordinary is Grease monkey extraordinary is Pearl Mabon, American Airlines' first full-fledged woman engineer, and the first in any airline. In spite of the fact that her University of Alabama B. S. in Engineering 13 less than two years old, Pearl ranks with many experienced man of her profession in American machinery, 900,000; Members removing farm and home accident lazards, 1,300,000; Members checking food and health habits, 2,300,000.

Members having periodic health examinations, 550,000.

Members demonstrating wartime Members demonstrating wartime practices to others, 900,000; Members taking first aid and home machiners. The profession in American's large engineering departments of the Boston office of the RFC. Additional copies may be obtained by contacting John J Hagerty, 10 Post Office Square, Boston 9, Mass-achusetts, Telephone Liberty 8000, instrument overhaul, engine overhaul, and engine installation, she Members demonstrating wartime by contacting John J Hagerty, 10 practices to others, 900,000; Members taking first aid and homes nursing, 500,000; Meals prepared in keeping with nutritional needs of family, 37,000,000; Members in creasing farm fuel supplies, 700,000; Scrap colected, 300,000,000 pounds; Scrap colected, 300,000,000 pounds;





S Al C, son of Mr and Mrs Alden Chase of Bryant Pond has recently seturned from 26 months active terrice in the South Pacific area. His 30 day leave was spent at his home in Bryant Pond and with his wife, the former Janice Merrill of East Eddington where he met for the first time his 20 months old daughter, Sharon. Captain Chase was communications officer for the 12th AAA Battalion attached to the first Marine Division and from the time of his landing on Woodlark Island early in 1943 until his re-

lease March 21, saw continuous ac-Captain Chase is a graduate of Woodstock high school and of the University of Maine. He reported May 1 at Harvard University for a course in advanced communica-tions which has been completed. His next assignment is at the Marine base. Quantico, Va, where he

will be an instructor.

An older brother, 1st Sgt Faulkner E Chase, four years in the service and year in the E T O, has WASHINGTON

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Six-MONTH PERIOD

The Chamber of Commerce will bave a picnic supper next Tuesday Crosby, Mr and Mrs Edmund Mrs Stanley Brown and Mrs Stanley

CUMMINGS IN "LIBERATOR" WHICH SINKS JAP SHIP AND PLANE

Irving a Cummings, aviation ord was strafed but its bombs failed to drop.

During the second run the bomb release again failed, but machine gun fire resulted in an explosion aboard the ship. The bomb release ras working when two more runs were made, one hitting amidships but carrening overboard where it exploded. The second missed the

Nell in one engine and the fuselage and the Nip went into a dive, hit the sea and burst into flames. Cummings participated in the in-

vasion of Iwo Jima, Okinawa and for fleet operations. He has been in the Philippines, acting as a cover several strikes against the Japan-

several strikes against the supar-tise homeland.
Son of Mr and Mrs Earl O Cum-prites of Bethel, he is a graduate the could Academy, where he was Thember of the football, track and

ABOARD THE USS

R Donald Holt, chief turret captain, USN, of East Bethel, serves aboard this ship, which can look back on 121,500 miles of fighting the twis from the invasion of Sithe Axis from the invasion of Si-cily to the battle of Okinawa. The BIRMINGHAM struck at Ok-mawa fargets six months prior to Staff the landings and gave fire support to minesweepers clearing the ap-

proaches to the island. During the campaign she sank thousands of ions of shipping. Operating with the famed 3rd and 5th Fleets and Task Forces 38 liss sister. Miss Hazel Herrick, 18 and 58, she hombarded Wake fsland, participated in air strikes on Tarawa, took three bits at Bougain-yille, shelled Shortland Island and

hurled her might into the assaults on Salpan, Tinlan and Guam. At Mindanao, she sank 3,000 tons of shipping and applicable of shipping and assisted in des-truction of another 3,000. At Houg-ainville, she plasted four Jap planes cut of the sky and scored litts on

Following the battle for Leyte sulf, the BIRMINGHAM was damaged for the second time. She had gone alongside the USS PRINCE-TON to battle fires resulting from a direct hit. The ships lay in a trough of the rough waters separated by about 50 feet when a ter-lific blast from exploding bombs and torpedoes in the PRINCETON

rained death on the deck of the RIRMINGHAM. After three months for repairs, the BIRMINGHAM steamed out again to take part in the Iwo Jima operation and the battle for Okina.

Pic Freeland Clark, son of Mr ant Fond was one of three WAVES and Mrs Wallace Clark of Bethel, to speak briefly from Honolulu on

Your Baby's Picture To Be Published Free

The Citizen wants a picture of every baby girl or boy in this trade territory so it can have a cut made and the picture published in this paper To be certain that we receive a late picture and a good one, one that will portray your baby just as it is now, we have made arrangements with the Woltz Studios of Des Moines to come to Bethel on Monday, August 13, and take these pictures free of charge.

The studio will be set up in the Odd Fellows Dining Room and open from 1 P M to 8 P M. On this date a representative of the above menitored studio will be here with all

a representative of the above menil ned studio will be here with all
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the opportunity to buy pictures if their own children in the home town paper.

pictures of men and women in service along with any others of local

a subscriber to the Citizen and it is not compulsory that you buy any pictures of your baby after they are taken.

This plan should be especially interesting to wives of service men in foreign areas who wish to send a picture of the baby but who fear We just want the pictures taken of all the youngsters that we can get, and the more the better. Parents of the children will be given that we women in the service who will certainly appreciate seeing pictures of the content of the lower of th

So fathers and mothers of Be-thel and surrounding communities by an adult.

More Car Tires This Month

Maine's allotment of new passenger car three for August is 1038 larger than for July, Thomas E Jordan, Tire Rationing Officer of Maine OPA announced. The allotment was smaller in all other types of tires.

LOCKE MILLS G T R AGENT RETIRES

King Bartlett, the popular station agent at Locke Mills retire from active duty with the rational flags of the same passenger.

Jordan said a slight change had been made in the rationing of truck tires size 7.50 and smaller, which will require the applicant to state whether the tire is \$ or ten ply.

The August new tire allotment for Maine is as follows: grade one passenger, 11,407; 7.50 and smaller truck 3056, decreases 186 from July; 8:25 truck and larger, 805, decrease 164; tractor 7:50 or smaller 226, decrease 60; larger than 7:50

Fulde, Germers is lined with a steady stream of people travelling in both directions on their way back to homes that they left to escape bombings. Pfc and is a graduate of Gould Academy in the class of 1944 and is now ored Field Artillery Batallion, was stationed in England for some time. Mill at West Bethel. stationed in England for some time. On July 15, 1944, with his unit he boarded the boat at Southampton and landed at "Utah Beach." From there they went to Lorient, Chardun and Hagondage. At the lattres, Melun, Le Mons, Rheims, Verter place they held a position for nine days, all the time facing three latterles of German SSs, They were latteries of German 888. They were at Metz six weeks and entered Garlatterles of German SSs, They were at Metz six weeks and entered Carmany on Thanksgiving Day. They supported the 5th Armored Division fro mitle Roer to the Rhine and most of the lime from the Rhine to the Eilbe. They were relieved from combat duty the first of Mey after 284 consecutive days of combat. Fre Clark has five campaign stars. The Unit Citation, awarded for the action at Hagondage, states in part:—THE 695th ARMORED FIELD ARTILLERY BATTALIFIES ARTILLERY BATTALIFIES and heroic achievements us task force making the daring attained heroic achievements us task force making the daring attained to cross the Moselle River at Maizieres Les Metz during the period September 7, 1944 and Sentember 15., 1944. By extra ordinary theroism on the part of the officers and men in the face of powerful enemy opposition, by the ingenuity and skill in the execution of operations not normally performed by known for nine days under infield artiflery, they took and held to use enemy fire pending the arrival of more powerful forces. The calkant performance of this unit under constant and frequent intense enemy fire, the conspicuous heroism and the courageous determination of each member despite tight.

BIRMINGHAM IN THE PACIFIC Ism and the courageous determination of each member despite the the righest traditions of military

Staff Sgt John Herrick of West Paris has received his honorable discharge having returned from overseas after serving 33 months. He has been ill from malaria since returning home and a patient at the N. in Lewiston.

Word was received last week that Tip Arthur Hazelton has been stationed somewhere in the Philippines.

Lieut Theodore G Cummings returned to Locke Mills last Saturday and is now on the in-active list of pilots for the duration, Lieut Cum-mings made the required number of missions over Germany, before returning to the United States. His brother, Philip, is on a mine-sweep-er, "somewhere."

Sgt Tracy Dorey arrived Friday to spend a furlought with his grandmother, Mrs Ida Blake, East Bethel,

Bethel,
Cpl Richard Brown arrived last
Wednesday from Texas for a furlough at the home of his parents,
Mr and Mrs Ira Brown, Hanover.
Dana Breshnahan, who has been
spending a furlough with his parents, Mr and Mrs Thomas Breshnahan, at the Sunflower Farm,
Hanover, left last week to return
to his hase at Port of Mississippi.
Welma Cummings H & the of Rev-

King Bartlett, the popular station agent at Locke Mills retired from active duty with the railroad last Saturday. He has been "railroading" for the past thirty-seven years. His ever gracious willingness to accomodate the public at all times, and his jovial personality with children will be greatly missed. Mr Bartlett has no immediate plans for the future. He will he at plans for the future. He will be at his camp for the present.

The new station agent is Mr John Hicks of South Paris, ENGAGEMENT OF W BETHEL

COUPLE ANNOUNCED Mr and Mrs Wilbur A Davis of any. In a recent letter he writes ment of their daughter, Arlene Alice that the road in front of his quart-

R, son of Mr and Mrs Hazen B
Lowell of Bethel.

Miss Davis attended local schools

Air Lowell attended local schools and before entering the service was employed as a tree surgeon. He entered the Navy May 2, 1945 and received his boot training at Sampson, New York, and is now stationed at Newport, R I. He recently spent a leave with his parents. No date has been set for the

overseas in April, 1975, landing on the Philippines May 18. Prior to entoring the service he was employ-ee by E C Smith of Bethel. He is with the 188th Parachute Gliders Infantry.

Recent arrivals from overseas nre reported to include Pfc Kenneth Lavejoy of West Bethel, on the Marine Raven at Hampton Roads Tuesday and T.5 Rolert Greenlear of Bethel on the Queen Mary at New York this morning.

Lt Norris T Brown, who has been on Okinawa for some time is now in the l'hillppines.

George W Bryant S 2'c. of Bethel has completed his recruit training at Sampson, New York on the shores of Seneca Lake and has been granted leave.

Fidward L Casey, Radar Man, as returned from six weeks in the Pacific and has been spending a short furlough with his family at West Bethel. He returned to his ship the first of this week.

Col Mchard W Bean has been transferred from Lincoln, Nebraska with a bomber crew to Daviska with a bomber crew to Daviska with a bomber crew to Daviska with a bomber crew to Daviskonthan Field, Tucson, Arizona for advanced training.

G. L. KNEELAND, D. O. Osteopathy Eyes Examined, Glasses Fitted

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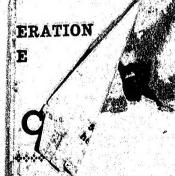
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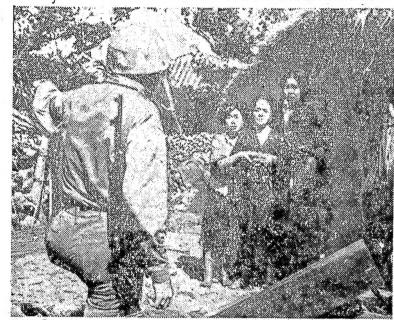
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Fleets Rake Japan as Big Three Parley Points up Peace Talk; Senate Moves for Global Unity Released by Western Newspaper Union.



Frightened by invasion of U.S. marines of island off of Okinawa, Jap women are put at case by Lt. H. P. Barrand of Stamford, Conn.

PACIFIC: Keep Going

While the nation's capital buzzed with peace talk and Australian newspapers hinted of sensational developments, U. S. and British carrier planes continued to rake the Japanese homeland and the Allied fleets kept up the bombardment of Nippon's sprawling coastline.

Scorched by Allied fire, the Japs still refused to come out and fight. Propagandists were seeking to calm the populace with the assertion that the U.S. and British attacks were designed to feel them out and they would strike at the proper time,

Having joined with the fleet in raking shipping and transport facilities linking the coal-producing island of Hokkaido with Honshu, and pounding factories on Honshu itself, carrier planes swept over Tokyo bay to shoot up combat vessels at anchor. Presumably remnants of the once were covered by a heavy screen of anti-aircraft fire as U. S. and British airmen closed in.

Peace talk was pointed up by persistent rumors that Marshal Stalin might have brought Japanese peace terms to the Big Three meeting at



Berlin and the report that President Truman presented the conferees with American surrender conditions drawn up by the war, navy and state departments.

Rumor that Russia's Big Boss might have borne Jap terms was accentuated by a newspaper report from London that a high Soviet official revealed that the Reds would transmit a definite surrender offer to the U.S. if it was forthcoming. and that Moscow would have to give the deepest consideration to entry into the Pacific war in view of the heavy losses suffered against Germany.

Reportedly in the possession of Mr. Truman, the American surrender conditions supposedly include the relinquishment of all military equipment; the disbandment of Jap forces; destruction of war industry; supervision over enemy shipbuilding, manufacture and port facilities, and punishment of war

the Sydney Sun editorialized: "The end of the war may come with dramatic suddenness . . . Hirohito is still the god-emperor. By one stroke of a pen he could relieve Japan's terrors and make peace. There is every reason to believe that United States policy is preserving him for that part in the drama."

Meanwhile, U. S. military chieftains, sticking to the American maxim that the game is never over until the last batter is out, discounted the peace talk and hewed to the big job

SENATE: Global Pacts

With public opinion strongly cast for co-operative effort to prevent future warfare, international security and monetary agreements headed

FARM NOTES...

Though supplies of chicken and turkey will increase seasonally from now until fall, demand is expected to remain unusually strong for the remainder of 1945, reflecting scarcity of meat, a high level of consumer purchasing power, and large army procurement. Prices received by farmers for chickens and turkeys probably will be higher for the rest of 1945 than in the corresponding period of 1944.

for comparatively quick passage in

the senate. Overwhelmingly approved by the house, the Bretton Woods monetary agreements creating a bank of reconstruction and fund for stabilizing currencies passed the senate, with Taft (Rep., Ohio) leading a losing

fight against the measures. Charging that high pressure tactics have been employed to sell the agreements to the country, Taft sought to amend the \$9,100,000,000 bank and \$8,800,000,000 fund so as to assure the responsibility of borrowers drawing upon American contributions of \$3,175,000,000 to the bank and \$2,750,000,000 to the fund.

While proponents of the Bretton Woods agreements declared that the bank was necessary to permit the economic development of foreign nations, and the fund would permit. countries to obtain currency at fair levels for international trade, opponents charged that there were no proud Imperial fleet, the warships provisions in the plans compelling the members to stabilize their internal conditions to guarantee full redemption of their obligations.

Concurrent with the agreements. the senate considered approval of the house - passed increase in the lending authority of the Export-Import bank from \$700,000,000 to \$3,-500,000,000 to finance sales and purchases abroad until the Bretton Woods pacts can be implemented.

With only 1 of 22 members of the senate foreign relations committee in opposition, the United Nations security charter was sent to the upper chamber for speedy passage. Although not promising that the pact would prevent war, the committee peaceful settlement of disputes.

Plain Talk

Along with the war, food remained the major item of interest to Americans, with Secretary of Agriculture Anderson warning of tight supplies into 1946 even while the Office of War Information prepared to launch an all-out propaganda drive to convince the U.S. of the necessity of tightening its belt to help feed impovcrished Europe.

Declaring that the present food shortage was the result of faulty planning last year, Anderson said prior to increased production in 1946 his office would seek to relieve present scarcifies by stifling black markets, improving distribution and holding army and foreign relief requirements to minimums.

Except for milk, wheat, potatoes and fresh vegetables, most foods will remain in tight supply. Anderson said, with continued scarcities in meats, fats, oils, condensed and Rife in the U. S., peace talk was evaporated milk and canned fruits equally lively in Australia, where and vegetables. Rice and dry beans also will run short, he revealed.

Meanwhile, the OWIs mapped its propaganda campaign upon orders from the White House, following the report that the U.S. would have to provide most of the relief shipments to liberated Europe. In addition to pointing out the need for supplying the continent, the OWI also will issue periodic statements on contributions being made by Great Britain, Russia, Canada and other nations.

Pertinent to American relief shipments abroad, Senator Wheeler (Dem., Mont.) told newspaper men that after having been promised adequate supplies by American authorities, Europeans expect this country to stand by its word, "Already in Europe, people are saying that they were treated better before they were liberated," Wheeler

Army Feeds Civilians

Since the liberation of European countries began last year, the army has shipped more than 2,000,000 tons of foodstuffs, mainly wheat and flour, for "wake of battle" feeding of civilians in liberated and occupled countries.

Feeding of civilians in these areas by Allied troops is an obligation of the army insofar as this feeding may be necessary to prevent disease, riot or unrest such as might Room occupancy advanced from 63 prejudice military operations, or endanger the lives or health of G.I.s. | cent last year,

WAR PRODUCTION:

Tapering Off

Having already dropped to an annual rate of 49.9 billion dollars in July from 60.7 billion in March, war production will be further slashed during the rest of the year, reflecting decreased demands for a one front conflict.

By December, production of aircraft will be down to 800 million dollars from the July figure of 1 billion; ships 500 million from 700 million; guns and fire control 100 mil lion from 200 million; combat and motor vehicles 200 million from 300 million; communications and electronic equipment 200 million from 300 million, and other items and supplies 900 million from 1 billion.

Of major munitions, only production of ammunition will hold steady at 600 million dollars, with doubled output of rockets helping to offset reductions in other explosives.

HARD WORKERS:

More Meat

In line with its policy of providing extra meat and other foods for persons engaged in hard physical labor. OPA announced that miners would be granted additional meat rations starting in August.

OPA action followed the walkout of 10,000 miners from Illinois pits, climaxing a series of strikes throughout the country. Leaving their jobs after their leaders declared they "can't dig coal on lettuce sandwiches," the Illinois miners demanded an extra meat ration of 50 red points per month.

Though 1,500 foundry workers in neighboring localities joined the striking Illinois miners, OPA action did not include workers in other strenuous occupations in the liberalization of meat rations.

RECONVERSION: Old Prices

Working to head off runaway

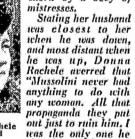
prices in the reconversion period before demand can more evenly balance with supply, OPA has drawn up an elaborate formula aimed at holding the cost of consumer goods to the 1942 level. Under the formula, manufacturers

doing an annual business of \$200,000 a year or more may add increased prices, but may apply only half the industry-wide profit margin of 1936 to 1930 so as to keep the overall selling figure down. Producers in the lower brackets, however, may apply their own profit margins to their prices.

To help speed reconversion, indimitted to work out their own prices and submit them to OPA for approval before the government can formulate general industry - wide

Wife Defends Il Duce

Long in the background, Donna Rachele Mussolini emerged briefly to hotly challenge declarations that the declared it provided the basis for late II Duce was an irresponsible philanderer strongly influ-enced by a bevy of



Donna Rachele Mussolini thought anything of and I was the only woman who thought

Snappily attired, with a silk kerchief embracing her huir-do, Donna Rachele bitterly defended her late husband, bethirry defended her tale histoma, velying the popular impression of her as a mere kitchen wench who had cared for his children. "They blame him for everything," she rasped. "The blame should be placed on other people, from Radadia to the king." Badoglio to the king."

JOBLESS GRANTS:

Seek Increase

Seeking to cushion the nation for the full shock of reconversion, Senator Kilgore (Dem., W. Va.) introduced a comprehensive bill extending coverage of unemployment compensation, boosting payments and financing job relocations. Under Kilgore's measure, federal,

maritime and agricultural processing workers would be included in coverage of unemployment compensation, and the benefits also would be extended to employees in firms of less than eight people,

At the same time, the federal government would contribute the difference to bring state unemployment compensation payments up to a maximum of \$25 weekly for 26 weeks a year. Vets' benefits would be increased to \$25 for single persons and \$30 for those with dependents for 52 weeks. Workers referred to jobs in other cities would be given travel allowances.

HOTEL BOOM:

Under the impetus of increased wartime traveling, America's \$5,000,-000,000 hotel industry is currently operating at a profit for the first time in many years. Hotel guests have doubled in number since the incep tion of the war in Europe and total sales last year amounted to more than \$1,500,000,000, an increase of approximately 50 per cent since 1929. the industry's best peacetime year in 1939 to a record high of 93 per

Radar Magical Beam That Bounces Back on Contact

Lightning Calculator Estimates Distances Upon Deflection of Electrons; Study Of Apparatus Still in Infancy.

> By BAUKHAGE News Analyst and Commentator.

WNU Service, Union Trust Building, | veyor makes, these calculations by Washington, D. C.

(In a previous article Mr. Baukhage told some of the little known facts in the history and development of radar and recorded many of its possible peace-time uses. In this article he explains what makes radar tick and how it per formed some of its marvelous feats in

"Impact," a publication of the office of the assistant chief of air staff, intelligence branch, for the first time lifting the veil which has covered descriptions of radar, says succinctly: "A radar set is nothing more than a machine for sending electrons out into space in a steady stream in a desired direction. These electrons travel with the speed of light in a straight line until their energy is dissipated, or unless they bump into something."

That bump is important. If a stream of electrons is shot into the air like a searchlight and a plane flies across the stream, the electrons which hit the plane bounce back. They bounce right back to a screen in the radar scope and are revealed in the form of a "blip" of light, just as an echo bounding back on your eardrum is reflected in the form of a sound.

The principle of the real echo is used in "sonic" location of obstacles—ships use it to locate shoals, for instance. And, recently, it has been demonstrated that bats use the same principle in avoiding obstacles (which they can't see since they are blind) by uttering a tiny "beep," the pitch of which is probably too high for the human car to catch. Their beep bounces back in time to warn them to duck.

But radar's electronic "blip" is better than a sonic "beep." One reason is that an electron moves with the speed of light which is faster than sound.

Echo' Caught

On Radar Receiver Perhaps at this point we ought to

recall to your minds what an electron is. A short definition of an electron is "the most elementary charge of negative electricity.' Electrons plus protons (the positive charge) are what atoms are made of and atoms are what molecules are made of and you and I and the universe and all it contains are, as we learned in high school, nothing but various groups of molecules.

Ordinarily electrons pursue the even, if rapid, tenor of their ways well within the bounds of their own atoms. But radar has changed all that. It has made it possible to project those electrons out into space and then, if they hit something and bounce back, to catch the "echo" on the "scope" of the radar set in the form of a "blip" or blob of light.

We can't go into detail as to how this operation takes place, but we can tell you in a general way. The scope of the radar set is round. It is like a map. North at the top, south at the bottom; east to the right and west to the left. So that you will know where you are a little light appears on the screen just where your set is located on the "map" you are looking at. By moving the instrument, you can keep yourself in the middle. If you see another spot of light on the screen up where 12 o'clock would be on your watch dial, you know there is a plane (or other object) north of you. If it should be a plane and it were coming toward you (which the instrument would reveal) and it finally appeared right on top of the light that showed your location, you'd know that there was going to be a collision.

Radar can "see" a ship 30 miles away—and see it in the dark, through a wall of cloud or mist, which no human sight could pene-

Different substances give stronger or weaker "echoes" on your screen, water little or none. Land more, built-up areas more than fields. Rocks more than softer surfaces.

In addition to locating an object in relation to the observer (the location of the radar set), the distance from the object can be calculated by the length of time it takes for the electrons to reach the object and bounce back. The elevation (angle of height from observer) and the deflection (how far to the right or left) are calculated just as a sur-

observation from two known points. And you don't have to be an engineer to do it either-it is done automatically by a lightning calcu-

I have stood in awe before these calculating machines, which can 'think'' more accurately and thousand times faster than I could figure, and watched how they direct the aim of the turret, waist and tail guns on a B-29,

As I said in last week's article, the enemy has radar, too. The Germans were working on it with investigation and experiment which paralleled ours and those of the British. In the early days of the war the Germans had receiving sets on high hills along the coast of France. The electron beam, like that of television, moves in a straight line and since the surface of the earth is curved, this curve gets in the way if the image and receiving set are too far apart, Therefore, land sets are placed as high in the air as possible.

We knew that the Germans had some kind of an electronic device and they knew we had one. One of the early commando raids, which the papers said was successful in destroying a German "radio station," really destroyed the radar installation.

Poke Out Japs' 'Eyes'

One of the reasons why Iwo Jima and Okinawa were so important, besides the fact that they make excellent naval and air bases, is because the Japs had their radar detection stations on these islands and were able to detect the presence of our bombers and intercept their flight. You will also recall that a number of little adjacent islands that hardly seemed of any importance were seized by our troops. n all probability it was because they had radar installations which could detect and give warning of planes leaving the larger island for Japan. As we put out her "eyes" one after another, Japan becomes more impotent. There have been many cases, you may have noticed, where the Japs, on land or on small ships, have been taken by surprise. I have no information on this subject, but in some cases it may have been due to the fact that they lacked radar equipment. It is be-

lieved that what radar knowledge Japan has came from the Germans. Of course, there is one phase of radar detection which in the past has sometimes prevented use of data concerning the detection of a plane or ship. That is the fact that until the object is very close it cannot be identified. It is merely a 'blip" of light. Therefore, it is impossible to tell friend and enemy apart. Some sort of identification has been developed, details of which are still, I believe, "top secret."

An example of how this worked to the disadvantage of the British was in the engagement in which HMS Hood was lost. On May 21, 1941, the Hood was lying in the strait between Iceland and Greenland when suddenly out of nowhere she was hit by a salvo from the 15-inch guns of the powerful Bismarck. The Bismarck had accurately located the Hood with radar equipment; the first reported successful use of redar in such a naval operation in the war. It is said that the Hood had likewise detected the presence of a ship at the spot where the Bismarck was, but knowing that a number of friendly warships were in the vicinity, did not dare to take the chance of attacking first.

Many improvements have been made in radar which are not as yet ready for the public eye and all say the study is only in its infancy. Scientific achievement seems limitless and the one virtue of war is that it spurs inventive genius to great strides of progress.

When peace comes radar will likewise open new vistas of which the layman hardly dreams.

Harry Truman didn't want to be vice president. James Byrnes didn't ask to be made secretary of state. Neither wanted to mix into international affairs-but they found themselves on the same boat en

BRIEFS . . . by Baukhage

Japs are making kitchen knives from American incendiary bomb cases. They ought to be ready to set up housekeeping soon since we have begun throwing everything at them but the kitchen stove.

One of Hitler's favorite tunes was "Who's Afraid of the Big Bad Wolf." That was before he got a bear by

An American filer back from Jap prison camp says the Japs, realizing they are beaten, are treating our prisoners better. Nothing like a good licking to bring out one's virtues.

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1945 RESTAURANT

Customer-May I see a menu? Waiter (lazily) - Yesterday's, tolay's, or tomorrow's?

Customer-Today's, I think. Waiter-Yesterday's will be just as useful. And tomorrow's will do you as much good.

Customer-I still think I'll take my chances on today's. Waiter-Oh, be a sport and take

yesterday's. Customer - What makes ordering from yesterday's menu more sport-

ing than from today's? Waiter-You go back further for what you can't get. Customer - Gimme today's! And

want one with the scratches! (The waiter hands him a menu, through which pencil has been heavily drawn.) Customer (reading the scratches) -Hamburger . . . lamb chop . .

mackerel . . , ham and eggs . . . corned beef and cabbage . . . frankfurters and beans! Hmmm! Well, I'll try some hash. Waiter-That's not running today

chicken with noodles . . . broiled

Customer-It's still listed. Waiter-Yeah. That's a post-time

Customer (after further study) -How is the liver? Waiter (surprised) - Is that on

there? The chef told me we didn't have it. Customer-Why wasn't it marked

Waiter-It was coupled with the ham and eggs and I guess the boss thought that when you scratched one you scratched the other.

Customer - I'll try the codfish cakes and beans. Waiter (returning after 10 minites)-No codfish and beans.

-Gustomer-Well just bring me the codfish and forget the beans. Waiter-It's the codfish we ain't got; the beans are still an outside possibility.

Customer-How's the chicken sal-

Waiter-It's O. K. if you like celery and lettuce leaves. Maybe you would like griddle cakes and sausage, if we have any sausage. Customer - Personally I prefer sausage in cases where you haven't

Waiter (impatiently) - How about honeycomb tripe?

any griddle cakes.

Customer-Can I get that today? Waiter-I can put you on our wait-

CHANGE IN LINE-UP . ("The famous Nuremberg stadium, where Adolf Hitler used to

make his most boastful speeches before tens of thousands of goose-stepping Nazis, is now being used as a baseball field by G.I. Joes."-News What, oh, what is that cry rising

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To new glories" filled the air, With "I promise greater triumphs" And "With me the world you'll share!" . . .

Now a corporal from Bronxville Sits where Adolf loved to pose And yells "Pickle one for popper! Sock that next one on the nose!" Gone are all the smart goose-step-

And where once the "Master Race" Stood to hear their leader praise 'em There's "a close on at third base"; And if Adolf's dead he's writhing In his grave as echoes come Of a cry to him quite painful, "He struck out, the great big bum!"

Summer Scene A meadow in majestic green Spreads out before my gaze; Delightful rolling hills recede Into the distant haze.

Along a tree-lined, winding Some horses run and caper While cows and sheep graze

happily . . . What beautiful wall-paper!

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instorm, Flicka's colt, long overdue, is born. Ken McLaughlin, Flicka's 12-yearold owner, finds her in a gulch. With the assistance of his brother Howard he brings the mare and colt to the stables. To Ken's astonishment, the foal is white. It is evidently a throwback to the Albino a wild white stallion that is Flicka's grandsire. This horse had stolen Gypsy from the Goose Bar ranch, the big horse farm owned by Ken's father in the Wyoming mountains. Her colts, while splen did physically, were all unmanageable Ken is worried when he realizes that the Albino's characteristics have cropped out in his colt. He waits for a favorable time to announce his big news.

CHAPTER III

But the foal! That all-conquering prepotency Rob McLaughlin had spoken of! After all the trouble Rob had taken to rid his stock of the hated blood of the Albino, here it was cropping out again. This foal was unlike its dam, unlike its sire, unlike any horse on the Goose Bar ranch. It resembled only one-the Albino. It was almost like having the Albino right there in the stall! Was the power and ferocity of the great outlaw enclosed within that mottled baby hide of pink and white? This thought made shivers go through Ken.

Flicka had finished her mash. Ken lifted the bucket down and went to the door of the barn. He swung the top half open and looked out. It had stopped snowing. The wind had reversed itself and had blown the storm back into the east whence it had come. There was a riot of scudding clouds in the sky with big stars close and bright, going in and out between them. It was much warmer. Ken folded his arms on the bottom half of the Dutch door and leaned

there thinking. There were still other shadowshapes woven into the aura that encircled the foal like the predictions of a fortune-teller.

That word Rob McLaughlin had dropped so casually into Ken's thought stream that day - race

Race horse. It could not, of course, be Flicka, owing to the thickened tendon which was the result of her infection. But why not a colt of Flicka's? With a sweet and tractable mother to teach him manners, with the power and speed which came down to every one of the Albino's line-why not? It had been Nell who had first made this suggestion. Since then it had not been out of Ken's mind.

Ken turned from the barn door and ran his hand down that right hind leg of Flicka's. It was his fault-that thickened tendon-because he had made them catch her for him.

"But you're not sorry, are you, Flicka?" he whispered, going to her "because now you've got head.

Her face, leaning against him, was very still and contented.

Ken took the lantern, gave one last look backward, and then left the barn, closing the door tightly behind him. He ran down through the gorge.

In front of the rambling stone ranch house were several acres of lawn, called by his mother, the Green, after the neat little village Greens of New England where she had spent her childhood. It was covered with a thin sheet of snow. Ken ran across it to the house, and, in the warm kitchen, took off his slicker and sou'wester and drank

the hot chocolate Howard had made. boys engaged in one of the wrangling, incomprehensible and wholly oblique discussions which make adult listeners conclude that the constitution of boys' minds, and their language, have nothing to do with

reason, logic or natural facts. "Promise!" "Let go of me!" "But he's mine."

"My tongue's not yours."
"Prom—" Ken's voice rose. 'Sh-sh-sh-" warned Howard. But Ken was conscious of being in the right. If their father heard the noise and discovered it was because Howard wouldn't promise not to tell about Ken's colt before he

it in the neck. "Promise. Promise! PROMISE!"

back." Bound for the stables and the colt, they paused behind the house at the sight of two strange cars. Visitors. Visitors brought home to the ranch from the dinner party last night. They recognized the cars. The blue one belonged to Colonel Morton Harris, an old classmate of their father's at West Point, now Colonel of Artillery at Fort Francis Warren. The gray one belonged to Charles Sargent, millionaire horsebreeder, owner of the famous racing stud, Appalachian. Sargent had white teeth showing. He almost rode his home ranch not twenty-five

miles from the Goose Bar, "Charley Sargent and Mort Harris," said Howard airly, "That's

keen. No church today." But Ken stood looking at the cars and thinking, Charley Sargent, tall and thin as a beanpole in his narrow Cheyenne pants—always kidding and clowning—his long brown face under the widebrimined western hat looking as Gary Cooper's might when he got older-it was always tun when Charley Sargent came to from the terrace at the front of the do you?" visit, and he might talk about his house, "We're way ahead of you!"

flutter of excitement. He wanted to know all he could find out about race horses. And Appalachian, the big black racing stud-he-

"Come on!" said Howard, heading

for the barn. Ken walked slowly after him, wondering if the presence of visitors would interfere with his own surprise. Should he tell them at breakfast? It had to be arranged so that the impression was favorable. They had to be glad and proud that it was white, as he was himself. That wasn't all. He had really to act so that no one, not even his father. would suspect that he was hiding anything. That was going to be hard. It was hard enough to keep any sort of secret-harder still if you felt the least bit guilty about

When they reached the corral they saw that Flicka and the colt were both out, enjoying the early morning sunshine. Gus and Tim were watching, astonished and amused. Ken rushed at Gus and grabbed him, "Don't tell anyone, Gus-they



'Would it cost much, Dad?'

don't know yet. I want to s'prise 'em-promise-" "Yu cud knock me over with a

feather, Kennie," said the old Swede, with his slow smile. "But white horses is gude luck, they say." "Never seen no such colt on this ranch before," added Tim. "What'll

the Captain say?" "Don't tell him until I have a chance to," insisted Ken. "Promise, will you?"

"Sure. You can tell 'em, Kennie," said Gus. "She's your mare, and your colt too, I guess."

Ken opened the barn door and called Flicka in. The colt did not follow but stood blinking in the sunshine. Gus and Tim shooed it gently in. Ken put them both in the farthest stall and he and Howard stood for a while watching them.

But Ken had important business on his mind, and presently ran down to the house and found that his While they sat drinking, the two | mother was making breakfast and his father upstairs shaving. Ken leaned against the bathroom

door and called gently, "Dad!" "Hullo there!"

something?" "Depends."

"Well-if you had money enough, what kind of fences would you have on the ranch?" "Well-if I had money enough, I'd

tear out every foot of barbed wire and put in wooden fences. Good solid posts about ten feet apart and four feet high. Even one line of rails on top of that would keep horses in that is, if it was solid enough so they couldn't rub them down with had a chance to, Howard would get | their fannies."

"Would it cost much, dad?" "You can get the poles for noth-"All right, I promise, Get off my ling up in the Government Reserve, but the cutting and hauling would cost money—that's work. I wouldn't have time to do it myself." "Even if it costs lots of money,

dad, it wouldn't matter." Rob's answer was smothered in the sounds that go with shaving, and suddenly he began his favorite shaving song.

humor. His black hair was rough, his eyes very blue, and all his big over Ken and the boy felt overfather's personality. With the door today." closed between them, it had been less potent.

"I'll be waiting for you a hat the kitchen door!" roared Rob, stamp-ing down the hall toward his room, He stopped at the head of the stairs, looked over and shouled, "Say, you fellows! Mort! Charley! Are you still asleep? Flapjacks comin' up!"

Outside, Nell and her two guests were being entertained, as was usual at the Goose Bar ranch, by

finish dressing.

the antics of assorted animals. Chaps, the black cocker, and Kim, the collie, were chasing each other on the Green as if nothing were needed for exuberant happiness but to have been shut up for a night and then let out again. All traces of snow had disappeared. There was intense sunlight

of the prism. There was a boisterous wind bending the pines and making Nell's blue linen dress flut-"What do you think of him?" she called to Colonel Harris, who stood near the fountain inspecting Rob's work team. They were huge brown

brutes. "That one you're looking at

is Big Joe," she added, "the pride of Rob's heart." "I should say," said the Colonel in his cultured, precise manner, taking off his glasses and polishing them, "that he is a pure-bred Percheron, sixteen hands high, and

weighs thirteen hundred pounds." "Just about right," said Nell, picking up her cat, Pauly, who was begging beside her. Pauly, a sinuous, tortoiseshell angora with long topaz eyes and a little siren face, slipped one arm around Nell's neck, hung on, and tried to lick her mouth. Nell tapped the tiny coral sickle-

shaped tongue and laughed. Charley Sargent's lanky form hovered over her, "You're lookin' mighty pretty this mornin'-how do you get those pink cheeks?"

"You forget I've been slaving over the kitchen stove getting breakfast for-let's see-five male men-" She buried her face in Pauly's soft brown fur. Charley Sargent always embarrassed her with his flattering eyes and flirty ways. He made her feel about eighteen.

"Isn't this a day!" she exclaimed. "Who could believe it was snowing last night! That's Wyoming for you!" She turned her face up to the sky. There were magpies and plover and chicken hawks gliding on steeply tilted wings against the blue, and now and then, when the wind veered, came a breath of snow from the Neversummer Range in the south.

"Last night," said Charley, still hovering, "was a mighty nice party. But I'm afraid to face Rob. He bawled me out for dancin' with you so much."

"This other one," called Colonel Harris, "is not pure-bred, is he?" "No," said Nell, running down the steps to join him. "That's old Tommy. He's our bronco-buster. Whenever Rob has a young horse he wants to take the ginger out of, he harnesses him up with Tommy."

While she chattered she was remembering how furious Rob had been last night when Charley Sargent had waltzed with her and spun her around and around so fast that her long blue dress had stood out like the skirt of a whirling dervish.

All the same-it was fun. Breakfast was noisy. There were flapjacks, thin and brown and light with slightly crisp edges. Piles of them, piping hot. A bowl of brown sugar was on the table and a jug of maple syrup. With her flapjacks, Nell liked marmalade, melted and

thinned and hot. "By Jiminy, I'll try that!" exclaimed Charley, taking the pitcher. All the time, the thought of his colt was never out of Ken's mind. Even while he was watching and listening to the others, he was trying to figure out just how he would tell it. The build-up he had "Say, dad-would you tell me attempted with his father hadn't come to much. Ken wanted, too, to talk to his mother about the things she would like to buy when his colt was winning money on the race tracl.s. Dresses and velvet things with fur like the General's wife wore, so that they would all fall in love with the colt the moment they

saw it because of all it was going to do for them. But as the hilarious breakfast progressed through grapefruit and flapjacks and sausages and pots of coffee with thick yellow Guernsey cream, and Rob got up again and again to go to the kitchen, and Howard carried piles of plates in and out, Ken became convinced that this wasn't the time to tell it. They wouldn't pay attention—would just say, "Oh, a new colt? Flicka has foaled at last? Fine—pass the syrup, will you?" After all, there were so many colls born on the Goose Bar ranch.

A car drove up and stopped be-Suddenly the door burst open and hind the house. As Rob returned he strode out in riding breeches, from the kitchen, Colonel Harris boots, singlet, and a very gay good | said, "That's probably the sergeant and orderly with my mare." "What for?" asked Nell.

Rob explained. "Mort wants to have his saddle mare bred by Banpowered by the impact of his ner, so I told him to send her up

There was an answering shout finest racin' stud in horse history,

Released by Western Newspaper Union. By VIRGINIA VALE

DARAMOUNT'S studio press I bureau reported an unusual number of requests from servicemen to visit the Betty Hutton-Sonny Tufts sets for "Cross My Heart." They couldn't figure out the reason for that avalanche of requests, till some bright boy came breaking everywhere into the colors up with the answer. Seems that somebody had announced in print that Betty had posed for photographs on the set with two air corps ieutenants, Robert Drew and Bruce Shaw, P-38 pilots stationed at nearby Van Nuys-and Betty had sat on one officer's lap while the cameras clicked!

It all turned out perfectly. A publicity man introduced Nancy Norman, pretty singer with Sammy Kaye's orchestra, and Dick Brown, who's featured on his own Sunday MBS program; the press agent's object, a "romance item" that he could send to radio editors (who get awfully sick of those same phoney 'romances"!). But - this time it



NANCY NORMAN

worked differently; Nancy and Dick will be married in September, when his brother comes home from the South Pacific. The same thing happened when that same publicity man introduced Patti Pickens of the Pickens Sisters and tenor Robert Simmons, also for publicity pur poses. They've been married four

Newspaper columnists get lots of "no-romance" items. The latest concerns Lizabeth Scott, making her screen debut in Hal Wallis' "You Came Along." There'll be no romantic interest for her, we're told, till her film career is definitely established. Announcements like this usually backfire—just let a gal say she won't fall in love, and next thing you know, she's eloping with somebody.

Helen Mack, who's producer of NBC's "Date with Judy" and the new "Beulah Show," gets no vacation this summer. In addition to handling the direction of the two network shows Helen has been signed for two movie roles-enough to keep any woman busy.

----Ted Malone wants you to help him. He's keeping a promise made to his G.I. friends overseas by dedicating his broadcast series, heard week days over the American network, to rediscovering America. He wants mail on "What War Has Done to Your Community."

Alfred Hitchcock, who recently completed "Spellbound" and is now preparing "Notorious" for David O. Selznick, is about to send some of his spine-chilling yarns over the airways. "Too many mystery programs come on the air asking people to turn out the lights, lock the doors, and prepare to be frightened to death," says he, "when actually nothing takes place that would scare anybody. When my program comes on, it will probably be a failure, While listening, the audience will become so frightened they likely will turn it off."

David O. Selznick, who developed Ingrid Bergman into a star, again has gone to Stockholm for his latest "find," He's Frank Sundstrom, star of the same Royal Dramatic theater in which Miss Bergman studled, and has appeared in eight European films.

Members of the "Duel in the Sun" company who have been on location, have organized the first Cactus and lodine club. All members who have been stuck by Arizona's Cholla caclus are eligible; Jennifer Jones' make-up woman, Clare Kaufman, is a charter member, she sat on one!

ODDS AND ENDS—Ginny Simms has a special "hospital dress," a bright flowered print, which she wears when today."

"It's late for breeding, isn't it?"

"Yes," said Harris, "it is, I thought she was bred, but she isn't after all, so we're going to try again."

"Why don't you have her bred by a real stud!" said Charley, "You don't happen to be Ignorant of the fact that my Appalachian is the finest racin' stud in horse history, do you?"

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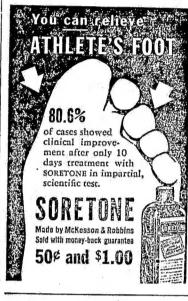
flowered print, which she wears when she sings to wounded soldiers; the boys in the wards like it... Working 16 hours u day, 7 days a week, Conrad Nagel, director of the air's "Silver Theater," earned \$7.50 per treek when he started his career us an actor. Bonila Grawille, who'll portray a smart law yer in her role in "The Lie Detector," is just 22; she's been an uctress since she was three. Arthur Lake of the "Blondie" series thinks maybe he should be insulted—a goat, mascot stablemate of a fumous race horse, has been named "Dagwood," for him!

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Economic Security

Back in 1865 senators and repre-

A great many executives in pri-

vate enterprise earn more money

than senators although they do not

themselves a raise in pay but there

is always reluctance to introduce

Throughout Government

Revenue measures never are popu-

sometimes, even when the expendi-

Department haven't had a boost in

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have advanced from 42 cents to \$1 an

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thorities say that living costs have

gone up 30% or more during that gone up 30% or more during that time. Doubled pay for workers in private industry offsets the living costs that are about one-third high-

er, but what about government peo-

ple from mail clerks to senators?

Ask for Consideration

my state published an advertise-

ment recently, calling the attention

of the people of Arkansas to the un-

happy plight of the postal em-

ployees who serve them. The dis-

play advertisement was bought and

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are asking their neighbors to help them ask Congress for better wages.

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earning more money. I favor the

passage of currently proposed legis-

lation to boost the pay of senators and representatives 25% or better.

I hope to see the day when a self-

respecting poor man can afford to

represent his state in costly and

wealthy Washington. These are de-

tails however. It is wrong in prin-

ciple that government employees

Dangerous Bureaucracy

workman who quits a job in pre-vate industry to enter government

employ gets his wage scale frozen.

The change of work may bring more pay but that's temporary. Whoever

laborer of today is earning senatori-

The important thing is that every

wait 20 years for a raise.

One of the biggest newspapers in

matter of 20 years ago.

Wage rates in private

There are politics in it, of course.

LOOKING

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al pay for 1865. These facts are understood well by men of industry and leaders in labor movements. It is encouraging to observe how the Labor-Management Charter, signed in Washington last March by labor union executives and prominent men of business, deals with the subject. In brief it states: Private enterprise is the necessary foundation for the welfare of labor as well as management.

Eager Beaver



Military Leaders Discuss Postwar Policy



WASHINGTON, D. C.—The Army chief of staff and other top-ranking military leaders above appeared before the House bostwar military policy committee and urged Congress to establish compulsory military training without delay. Shown during the hearing are (left to right) Fleet Admiral Ernest J. King, Chief of Staff Gen. George C. Marshall, Rep. Clifton Woodrum, chairman of the committee, and Gen. Alexander Vandergrift, U. S. Marine Corps commandant.

EAST BETHEL

Stanley Howe spent Sunday and Monday with his grandparents, Mr and Mrs Harold Stanley. Pvt Malcolm Farwell now has sentatives in the Congress of the an overseas address.

Mr and Mrs Wallace Coolidge and daughter, Barbara, were Wed-United States began drawing \$5,000 a year; \$100 a week. That was good nesday evening guests of Mr and pay 80 years ago but a first-class Mrs Almon Coolidge.
welder can do better now. Congress- Mrs Ruth Hastnigs and son, Bilwelder can do better now. Congressmen have had two raises in salary y, Gordon Howe, and Mr and Mrs Rodney Howe were in Ranegley since then. The last one was 20 Sunday. years ago when they started earn-

Mr and Mrs Marcus Keith and son, Charlie of Livermore and Mr ing \$10,000 a year which was, at the time, a comfortable living for them. | and Mrs Sewall Spencer of Canton were guests at Almon Coolidge's Sunday. Mr and Mrs Perley Robinson and two children of West Sumner viclaim superior ability. Why do our sited his brother, Victor Robinson

legislators not earn more? Because sunday. their salaries are fixed by law and Chirence Allen of Bryant Pond, they themselves are the gentlemen, who has recently been discharged from the service visited his browho make the laws. They could vote ther, Edward Allen at Almon Coolidge's Sanday.

Mr and Mrs Urban Bartlett and

wo children went to South Portland, Sunday, Mr and Mrs Clifton Bean came Sunday to visit her mother, Mrs

Revenue measures never are popular. Congressmen who vote for a dip out of Mr. Taxpayer's pocket come to regret it on election day

Ar and Mrs Guy Bartlett, Mrs sometimes, even when the expenditure was a wise one. That's exactly why employees in the Post Office Department knyen't had a boost in

> ANSWERED BY THE VOICE PROPHECY

Question-Why is Jesus also called Christ? Answer-"Jesus" was His personal name, and "Christ" (G.c. k) the rate of His office. It is the same as "The Messiah" (Hebrew) and "the Anointed" (English).

See John 1:41 (margin). Q -I thought there was only one davil, but 1 Timothy 4:1 speaks of "devile." What about this? A. According to Revelation 12:

9, when Satan was cast out of heave I his targets were cost out with him to the devil is not clone in his call work. Q.-How much is the "omer"

which was used to measure the cally ration of manna gathered by each Israelite? Exodus 16:16. A .- According to Halley's Bible Handbook, it was seven pints. Q.-Was the king Herod who

tried to kill the Christ child at Bethlehem the same man who killed John the Baptist and James? A .- Herod the Great slew the children of Bethlehem. His son,

Herod Antipas, killed John the Baptist thirty-three years later. (Mark 6:14-29); and his grandson, Herod Agrippa 1, killed James the apostle fourteen years still later. Acts 12:

works at that job a generation from now will probably be earning the Q.—Why were the books of the Apocrypha left out of the Scrip-tures which are considered to be same amount and spending a lot more to live. Remember that the inspired?

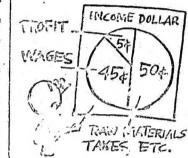
A.—(1) They were not in the Jewish Scripture which Jesus used. (2) They originated after the prophets had ceased-after Malachi. (3) They were not written in Hebrew. (4) Their teachings and character are not up to the standard of the law and the testimonyany careful Bible reader can see this. (5) However, they give light on the time that produced them, and the Books of the Maccabees are valuable as history.

Q.-Please explain Romans 10:4: "For Christ is the end of the law for righteousness to every one that

A .- The word "end" is not used here to signify the limit or last of a thing, but in the sense of ob-ject. James says ye "have seen the end of the Lord" (James 5:11) the end of the Lord (James J.L.,
—that is, the object of the Lord in
afflicting Job. The text does not
say that Christ is the end of the
law for transgression, but for
righteousness. No law can justify its transgressor. God's law drives the sinner to Christ to find in Him the righteousness which the law

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don herold says:



THE WORKER'S SHARE

What part of a worker's work day goes to his employer for

Let's take the income dollar of the average factory. The factory does well if it nets 4 or 5 cents of it. Of the balance, the workers may get 40 or 50 cents, and the rest goes for raw materials,

So the worker gives perhaps an eighth or a tenth of his day for what he gets from his employer-a building to work in, expensive machinery to work with and invented products to produce and a system of selling them.

It is up to the worker to decide whether he is better off to work for a going business for these things-or to go into business for

Most businesses are glad, these days, to show their employees an honest break-down of their in-

The lid is off of milk cans; that means that all restriction on the manufacture and sale of milk cans have been removed. Maine dairy have been removed. Maine darry farmers will applaud this as a step in the right direction.

Farmers marketing cooperatives n Maine did business amounting to 5,000,000 in the 1942-43 marketing season, according to a report by the Farm Credit Administration. I-urchasing cooperatives bought supplies amounting to \$3,300,000 for their members.

NOTICE

The subscriber hereby gives noto that she has been duly appointed guardian of Nelle M. Burhank of Bethel in the County of
Oxford, and given bonds as the
law directs. All persons having demands against the estate of said
ward are desired to present the
some for settlement and all indebted thereto are requested to
make payment immediately.

EESTER F SOURE PESSIE P. SOULE Portland, Maine.

June 19, 1945.

SUNDAY RIVER

Recent visitors at R L Foster's were Albert Eames of Auburn, Mr Eames' daughter, Mrs Alice Bear-den and son, Keith of Pontiac Michigan, Miss Irene Foster and friend ar

at R L Foster's for a few days.
Mr and Mrs Floyd Verrill and son, Steven and cousin, Richard IGA Evaporated Bornhart of Concord, Mass, have teen in town for two weeks. Also Ralph and Ernest Verrill were in town a few days before bringing material to plaster the house.

Leslie Lapham has been plastering for Floyd Verrill,

Mr and Mrs Perley Andrews are
their cump most of the time.
Both Mr Verrill and Mr Andrews
have started driving wells. Julian Howard and son, David or Kitchener Ontarlo, are visiting

Mrs Dajsy Croshy's.

Mrs Edward McDonald and chillren are at her parents, the R M Bean's.
Mr and Mrs Robert Bean went to Portland Saturday for their furni-

Miss Barbara Nowlin is helping Mrs Clifton Jackson.

Miss Marjorle Nowlin is visit-ing her brother, John Nowlin and

Mr and Mrs Stanley Roberts were PR I. Foster's recently.
Owen Demeritt and Mr Morrison ere spending a few days in Keten-

Mr Winslow is doing the having for R L Foster.

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ning water—no grocery store and bakery and beauty shoppe down on the corner. These folks laid the foundation for a great nation. Thrift was a corner-stone, With out a stock of beans, and corn and smoked meat stored in the sum-mertime, there was no eatin' in the wintertime.

But as time rolled along and as the country prospered we started joining lunch clubs and golf clubs and book reviews. We took on some fat around the midriff. We decided it was easier to let the cther guy do our heavy thinking for us. And now as a reward for same, we have a flock of 2000 or so Bureaus and Grand Idea Agencies with their feet under our table. cies with their feet under our table and their elbows in our ribs. We better choose to return to our May-flower habits—before we find oursevles out in the alley.

Yours with the low down, JO SERRA

NORTH NEWRY

Mr and Mrs Lawrence Vail of Massachusetts were week end guests of Mr and Mrs Walter Vall and Mr and Mrs Leon Enman. H W Soule and H W Soule and son, William, re-turned to their home in Burlington, Vt, Friday.
Mr and Mrs Frank Bushley of

Our Mayflower grandma and grandpa had a log house out there the summer in Framingham, Mass, in the edge of the forest—no run-the guest of her brother, George Wight and Wight an Pumford were in town Sunday.

Miss Carrie Wight is spending Wight and wife, Miss Betty Wight returned home

Monday after spending two weeks with her uncle, Jesse L Ferren and family, in Worcester, and uncle-George Wight, and family at Fram-

ingham.

Mrs Hartley Hanscom and family called on Mr and Mrs Robert Cole, Mrs Hazel Newell and son, Charles on Sunday.

Mrs Ruth Brinck Cates. and daughter, Joyce returned to Hartford, Conn, Saturday after spending their vacation with Mr and Mrs Fred Kilgore.

Bear River Grange, met Saturday night. It was voted to hold meetings once a month until the first of October. S 1|c George L Wight was at home over the week end.

Mrs Wm Wallis and children of

Fryeburg are spending several weeks with her sister, Mrs Bertha

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Alice Staples is librarian for Au-

C F Saunders has been having on his place in town, Mr and Mrs Joe Hardy of San-ford are staying at the Dyer home, which has been closed since the death of Mrs Hardy's mother, Mrs

Effie Dyer. Corp Freeman Ellingwood rived from Devens, Monday. Mark Skalmer and friend from New York are staying at his camp at Howards Lake - Ø

MIDDLE INTERVALE

Mrs Lillian Vail is spending two weeks with her daughter, Mrs Jack Parsons at Rumford. John Richards of Topsham was

a guest of Mr and Mrs Harold Bartlett a few days last week, B A Bonvie of Canton, Mass, spent the week end at Swans Hill with his wife and family.

Mrs Roger Foster and infant son arrived home from the Rumford Community Hospital last week.

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LOCKE MILLS

Adelaide W. Lister, Correspondent Ray White and family of Waltham, Mass., are spending a few weeks vacation at the Monroe cottage at Howard's Lake. Mr White's Mr and Mrs George L Flanders were in Massachusetts last week visiting relatives and friends.

Betty Brown has recovered from the mumps.

Mrs Sarah Foster of Paris visited the cousin, Mrs Isabel Croteau, several days last week.

By Russell went to Bethel and the solid part of the server of the solid part Mrs George L Flanders and Mrs Cora Bennett.

Cora Bennett.

Mr and Mrs Herbert Rose have as house-guests at their camp, Mr and Mrs William Singley, Edward M Weigelt, from Sharon, Penn, and Mrs Charles Weber from Bayonne,

Mrs Charles Weber from Bayonne, N. J.

On Friday evening last, Mrs Berfelicia, spent the week end with tha Davis entertained a group of young people in honor of Frank Packard, the fiance of Miss Bette Davis, They gathered at the Pictural Packard, and enjoyed a chicken barbecue. Those present being, Sgt. Donald Westen, Corp Peter Pullsteinen, Sgt William Limatta, Ellisteinen, Sgt William Limatta, Ellisteinen, Rachel Dunkam, Ernest Packard, all of West Paris, Ruth, Rich, Mrs Margaret Saunders, Joan and Bette Davis and their biother, and bette Davis and their biother.

Mrs W S Ring and granddaughter Felicia, spent the week end with Story, Herbert Bean Miss George Forbes at Miss Ceorge Fo

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from the Rumford Hospital where she was a patient for observation

for a few.days.

Mrs E L Tebbets has returned from a vacation spent at the shore with her mother and sisters. Mrs Jennie Adams and little daughter, who have been the guests of her sister and husband, Mr and Mrs Charles Andrews have return-

" Portland, but hopes to leave this

WEST PARIS

Mrs. Geneva Tuell, Correspondent Mrs W S Ring anl granddaughter

ALBANY TOWN HOUSE

Mrs. Annie Bumpus, Correspondent A large crowd attended the Circle Supper held at Hunt's Corner Thursday evening, July 26, includ-

ing several out of town friends and relatives. The program under the direction of Rev W I Bull was as 'ollows; Several Hymns

Music, Eugene Andrews, Harry In-man. Hazel Wardwell Stories and Recitation, Fred Hersey Remarks, Rev John Dallanger from Braintree, Mass

Story, Rev W I Ball Song and encore, Joan Guillow, accompanied at the piano by her mother, Myrtle (Beckler) Guil-

And Bette Davis and their brother,
John and the honor guest.

Mrs Jennie Abbott is a guest at the 'J W Ring home.

Miss Constance Coolidge is employed at Denmark.

Miss Pauline Baker, who was home for a vacation from her duties at the State School for Girls at Pownal, last week has returned for the remainder of the summer.

Mrs Lucy Bennett has returned with her family to Paris Hill.

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Mrs Inez Whitman, Correspondent Judith Grover Tent No 17 met Tuesday evening, July 24th at the Juvenile Grange Room. There were ten members present. Under new business the President gave out the new password. The next meeting will be August 14 and the time has been changed from 7:30 to 8:00 P M. The following program was presented by the Patriotic Instructor, Reading, Just Now, Mildred Dunham

Reading, Friendship, Alberta Dunham Reading, Dear Old Dad, Helen Ring

Reading, The Hash of Life, Clara, Whitman Refreshments of cottage cheese and gingerbread and whipped cream were served after the meet-Herbert Bean ing by Helen Ring and Alice Wardwell.

Mr and Mrs Ralph Bacon have turned to their home in Boston, Mass, after spending two weeks at Brookside, Walter Bacon of Nor-way was their guest. Other guests were Mrs Bacon's mother, Mrs Florence Wentworth and sister, Miss Mildred Wentworth, both of Portland and Sister, Portland, who spent four days with

Mrs Evalina Lappin and daughter Helen, of Portland are spending a

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"My father-in-law is a fine old man, but so close that a light left burning or a faucet left running will give him a chance to scold for hours. I use too much soup in the baby's bath; I leave good gravy and potatoes on my plate."

By KATHLEEN NORRIS

HE trouble with Helen Johnson is that she won't accept the inevitable. She hates the conditions of her life, and yet she can't seem to find any way of escape. So many women are in her position now that it seems worth while to quote her let-

"I married at 20, six years ago," writes Helen. "Lewis, my husband, is two years older; he is now with the army in France, but before the war he made a good living as a contractor and builder. He worked with his father, and now that he is away I live, with my two little children with his father and mother.

"Lew was happy that I should come to them, when he went away, almost a year ago. The lease on our apartment had expired, we could find no other place, and this roomy country house seemed ideal, Domestic help simply doesn't exist in this neighborhood. I was worn out when we came here, and expected a rest.

"Instead, nothing is right. My father-in-law is a fine old man, but a faucet left running will give him a chance to scold for hours. I use too much soap in the baby's bath; I leave good gravy and potato on my plate; I think my children have to have fresh clothes every day.

What Way Out?

"As for my mother-in-law; she works all day, cooking, cleaning, gardening. She adores the children, loves to have them with her, but her attitude toward me is quietly critical. Wouldn't I rather buy another bond for Lewis Jr, than buy a dress? What are my plans when Lew comes home? Isn't it better for little people not to talk at all at meals? This means Sonia, for little Lew doesn't talk yet.

"I drive myself almost crazy all day trying to think of a way out, and lie awake at night planning it. But it seems impossible. Living space is at a premium. It would mean that I get a job, and what of my children? Here I have no expenses whatsoever, my husband's parents even buying the children's clothes and paying doctor's bills. Do you suppose there is a nursery, in the city, where I could put the baby, if I tried to keep Sonia with me?"

It is a pity, Helen, that a ministering angel can't appear to you, and say to you that your destiny is to remain where you are, and that dire misfortune and evil days will follow upon your being anywhere else. Such a visitation would impress you, you would awaken from a dream, face facts, settle down into the life you are living, and find in it not only content and usefulness, but a deeper happiness than you have ever known.

Your husband is enduring far harder conditions than you are, and he has no way of escape. Millions of other men and women in the world are facing situations that they thought, a few years ago, utterly insufferable.

Change Would Harm All.

No conditions remain insufferable, the minute we decide to accept them, make the best of them, improve upon them. Your husband's people have made you welcome; they pay your bills; they love your children. That the old man is thrifty is perhaps a good training for you; these aren't the days to waste soap, waste gravy and potato, waste effort washing and ironing. As for your mother-in-law, she sounds like a fine and useful and generous wom-



ENDURING CRITICISM

Sometimes little nagging annoyances loom like grave hardships. It depends a lot on the viewpoint. Helen, for instance, can scarcely Leur her lot. She is a soldier's wife with two small children. They are living with his parents in a big country house. The old folks pay all the bills, and do a good deal of the work. Helen has only to take care of herself and the children, and to help a little with the general house-But what wears on Helen's

nerves is the constant criticism from her parents-in-law. They are thrifty to a fault, hardbutter. working, and old fashioned. Her father-in-law raises a fuss about waste-lights left burning, soap used in excess, food thrown away-and keeps nagging for hours. Her motherin-law makes pointed suggestions about rearing the children, saving money for the future, dressing plainly, and so forth. This is day in and day out. There is nowhere Helen can go, as she is dependent, having no means excepting her government allotment. It would be difficult for her to get a job, or find an apart-

an, who helps endure the burning anxiety she must feel for her son.

ment. She would have to place

the babies in a nursery, too.

in practical hard work. Now just for fun, begin to tell yourself that you would be "unlucky" if you tried to make a change. That it would be harmful for Lew, Sonia, little Lew and yourself. This isn't as superstitious or fanciful as it sounds, for I can tell you from my older experience that it would be unlucky; any such course would certainly bring upon you the evil eye - the evil eye of doubt, responsibility, discontent, fatigue, bills, anxiety beyond bearing. It would deeply hurt Lew's parents, hurt Lew, hurt the children, and perhaps lessen his affection for

and confidence in you. Make yourself the angel of the wartime household. Win the older couple with a truly daughterly cooperation and affection. Turn out lights, turn off faucets, serve yourself to only what food you want; we're all learning lessons in that sort of niceness. And-just between ourselves, take the children off for a fortnight in the mountains this summer, and make that little break the time of a break in your whole attitidue. "Who so loseth his life shall find it" is just as true today as it was 2,000 years ago.

For Glamorous Fingernails Do you want to have glamorous fingernails? Well, you can! Buy, a small bottle of white fodine at your druggist's. Ask for a bottle with a glass stopper. If you can't get the stopper, use the tail of a rat-rail comb in its place. Then buy a small jar of any reliable, lubricating hand

Every night last thing before you go to bed, place a drop of white iodine under each fingernail. Then massage a dab of the hand cream into your nail cuticle. The white iodine serves to strengthen the nail. The lubricating cream softens the cuticle, stimulates the growth of the nail at the root.

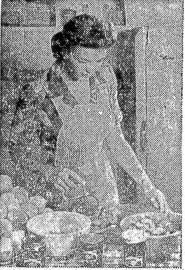
Convenient Cupboard

To make kitchen cupboards more convenient for the busy housewife, make cupboard shelves narrow so that packaged and bottled goods

stand only one row deep.
A survey shows that in the average kitchen, 175 items often used. are kept on shelves in cupboards. For most of these items shelves only 41/2 inches deep are needed. For the rest, the shelves need not be deeper than 61/2 inches. This new type of shelving would make it easler to see things.



Fruit Spreads Will Help Ease Butter Shortage



When making peach jam, use fully ripened fruit for best in flavor and The fruit is prepared as shown here, by chopping coarsely before being added to the other in-

Lack of sugar need be no excuse for not putting up those mouth-

watering jams and jellies this summer. If you look far enough ahead, these delectable fruit combinations can be the means of easing up another shortage-that of One of two

ways may be used for maintaining the traditional time-honored jam and jelly cupboard. First of all, the limited sugar supplies can be stretched by using light corn syrup a full rolling boil, while continuing for sweetening. Or, secondly, fruit to stir. Boil hard ½ minute, Reand berry juice may be pasteurized move from fire, skim, pour quickly. while the season is in full swing, and made into jams and jellies later in the year as sugar is secured

What about the texture of jellies and jams made of pasteurized fruit and berry juice? It will not be affected, tests show. Color and flavor may not be quite as good, but is generally fair.

When corn syrup is used as a substitute for part of the sugar, the corn syrup should be added to the fruit along with the sugar. If directions for the substitution of corn syrup for sugar are followed as given in the recipe, the jams and jellies will set favorably. Also, when corn syrup is used, the recipe will yield from one to two additional glasses of jam or jelly.

Note: The corn syrup designated in the following recipes is white corn

Ripe Peach Jam (Makes about 12 6-ounce glasses) 4 cups prepared fruit 5½ cups sugar

2 cups light corn syrup 1 bottle fruit pectin

To prepare fruit, pit and peel about 3 pounds of fully ripe fruit. Grind or chop very fine. If desired, 1 to 3 tablespoons spice may be added. If peaches lack tartness, 4 cup lemon juice may be added to the 4 cups prepared fruit.

Measure sugar, syrup and prepared fruit, solidly packed, into a large kettle and mix well. Bring to a boil over the hottest fire stirring constantly before and while boiling. Boil hard

1 minute. Remove from fire and stir in bottled fruit pectin, Stir and skim by turns for just 5 minutes to cool slightly and to prevent floating fruit. Pour quickly into sterile jars or glasses. Paramn hot jam at once.

Ripe Red Raspberry Jam (Makes about 11 6-ounce glasses) 4 cups prepared fruit

Lynn Says:

When you make jellles and jams: Wash fruits and berries carefully, discarding bruised or decayed spots. Cut large fruits in quarters or pieces, or chop for making jams. Fruits like crabapples, apples or quinces are not peeled because the peeling contains much of the precious pectin content.

Hard fruits like apples and quinces should barely be covered with water. Currants, grapes and berries need only enough water to start cooking. Fruits should be boiled only until soft, other-wise they lose flavor and color. Melt paramn until it is smoking hot and pour over top of jelly after it has cooled. Rotate glass to make sure edges are coated Lynn Chambers' Point-Easy

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2 cups light corn syrup

41/2 cups sugar

1/2 bottle fruit pectin To prepare fruit, crush or grind about 2 quarts fully ripe raspberries. Measure sugar, syrup and fruit into a large kettle and mix well. Bring to a full rolling boi' over a very hot fire and stir constantly before and while boiling. Boil hard one minute. Remove from fire and add bottled fruit pectin. Stir and skim during the next 5 minutes, then pour quickly into glasses. Paraffin at once.

Ripe Blackberry Jelly (Makes about 9 6-ounce glasses)

3 cups juice 2 cups sugar

2 cups light corn syrup

1 box powdered fruit pectin To prepare juice, crush or grind about 2 quarts of fully ripe berries (not black caps). Place fruit in jelly cloth or bag and squeeze out juice. If the amount does not measure to 3 cups, add a little water to

the pulp and squeeze out again. Measure sugar and syrup into a dish and set aside until needed. Place juice in a saucepan (3 to 4 quart size). Place over hot fire and add powdered fruit pectin. Mix

well and continue stirring until mixture comes to a boil. Pour in sugar and syrup and bring mixture to

Paraffin hot jelly at once. Those of you who have sugar to spare will enjoy these cherry preserves which are such an excellent accompaniment to meats, fowl and other main dishes.

Cherry Preserves.

Use from % to 1 pound sugar to each pound of fruit depending upon the sourness of the cherries. Mix cherries with sugar; let stand overnight. Heat slowly to boiling. Boil rapidly 15 to 20 minutes, or until cherries are tender. Let stand until cold. Pack cherries into hot, sterile jars. Boil syrup until thick. Pour hot syrup over the cherries; seal at



to jam and jelly making. When sugar and corn syrup are used, they are added to the fruit together. Half sugar and half syrup are advised for best results.

Honey is a good sweetener with some types of fruits. Here are two good delicacies for your winter spreads:

Plum Butter. 5 pounds plums Honey

Wash plums and remove all blemishes. Place in kettle and just cover with water. Cook until tender and then put through colander to remove pits and skins. Measure pulp and add 1/2 cup honey to each cup of plum pulp. Return to fire and cook until thickened. Seal in sterilized

> Sweet Apple Pickles. 2 cups honey 1 cup vinegar 2 inches stick einnamon 6 whole cloves Apples

Combine honey, vinegar and spices. Have ready 8 to 10 cups quartered apples (pared or not, as preferred). Cook 2 to 3 cups apples at a time in the syrup, handling them gently so they do not mash, When transparent, lift out and place in a bowl or jar and continue until all are cooked. Take out spices, pour remaining syrup over apples and store until needed. These may be served with chicken or turkey. meat loaf, roast pork or baked ham. Released by Western Newspaper Union.

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Add horseradish to taste to hot buttered beets. Gives them a tang. To sweeten, melt one or two tablespoons of brown sugar over all.

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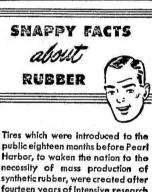
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The United States coast guard on August'4 celebrates the 155th anniversary of its founding, proud of being the nation's "first fleet" and proud of its "firsts" and its distinguished service on all fronts of World War II. Most of the 172,000 men who wear the coast guard shield on their uniform sleeves will celebrate the service's birthday overseas, for the coast guard, created primarily to prevent smugglers from reaching the coast, ranges far from home in time of war to fight alongside the army, navy and marine corps.

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The coast guard's story really begins in 1787 when Alexander Hamilton, first secretary of the treasury, while urging adoption of the then pending constitution, wrote of the need for a sea-going service which would prevent "material infractions upon the rights of the revenue." "A few armed vessels," he wrote, "judiciously stationed at the entrance to our ports, might at small expense be made useful sentinels of the

With the constitution adopted, the first congress elected under it, in the spring of 1790, approved Hamilton's idea for a marine law enforcement agency, and on August 4, 1790, the service's birthday, appropriated money to build 10 cutters and pay salaries to their officers and

For six years the small cutters were the only armed vessels under the United States flag. (The navy was created in 1794 by act of congress, but its ships were not in serv-

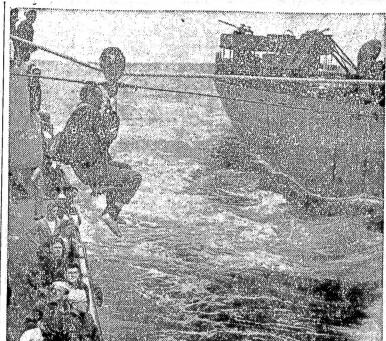
Given Naval Rank.

The possible defense value of the cutters was recognized early. In suggesting establishment of the service, Hamilton asked that officers of the cutters be given military or naval rank, "which," he said, "will not only induce fit men to engage, but attach them to their duties with a nicer sense of honor." In 1797, congress passed a temporary act to increase the strength of the cutters "and cause said revenuecutters to be employed to defend the sea-coast and repel any hostility to their vessels and commerce within their jurisdiction, having due regard to the duties of said cutters in the production of the revenue."

In 1798, during the "undeclared" naval war with France, the President, "with a view of producing a concert of action of the naval forces of the United States," placed the revenue vessels at the disposition of the secretary of the navy. In the next year, congress passed an act providing that the cutters were to co-operate with the navy whenever the President should so direct-a precedent since followed in every war.

The cutter Tancy went through Pearl Harbor unscathed and the next day left the stricken Pacific base on antisubmarine patrol. The 165-foot Icarus received credit for sinking the first German submarine in United States waters when she blasted a U-boat and took 33 prisoners off the Carolina coast, (A coastguardmanned destroyer escort. with several navy ships, was in at the kill on the last U-boat sunk in the Atlantic by American forces.)

Many Ships Lost. A tragic "first" of the coast guard was the loss of the cutter Hamilton, torpedoed off Iceland in January, 1942, the first American warship lost to a submarine after the start of the war and, unfortunately, the first of a line of coastguard-



A scaman is ill, requiring immediate medical attention. Coast guard vessel transfers doctor on a boatswain's chair to the merchant ship. An example of the work done by the coast guard in their 155 years of

manned ships lost as the war progressed—the Acaccia, the Muskeget, the Natsek, the Escanaba, the Leopold, and the Serpens.

To many, in peacetime, the coast guard was known as the "Mercy Fleet," and there is a long tradition behind its reputation for the saving of life and property at sea. Back in 1833, some of the cutters were assigned to aid distressed vessels



Adm. Russell R. Waesche, commandant of the U. S. coast guard, with his third half-inch stripe, which designates him as a full admiral.

and save lives; a duty they had performed incidentally from time to time.

The combination strengthened the service's devotion to the saving of life and property-a devotion amply demonstrated during this war.

In the Normandy invasion, a fleet of 83-foot coast guard vessels (considered small craft now, but more than twice the length suggested by Hamilton in his recommendation for the first cutters!) which had been on antisubmarine duty in the Atlantic was designated as Rescue Flotilla 1 and, in the first days of the invasion, pulled more than 4,000 men to safety from channel waters. The coast-



Coastguardmanned LSTs are among the first to drop their ramps at Manila after American forces had driven the Japs from the Philippine

Peacetime Duties Continued During War

Throughout the war, on an only for coast guard peacetime skills in slightly reduced basis, the coast guard has continued all of its peace-example, the coast guard has long time functions, such as maintenance of aids to navigation, enforcement places, so when it became deof maritime and navigation laws, as | sirable to restore Italy's fishing inwell as performing duties more di- dustry after Allied occupation, a rectly fied in with the war, and besides furnishing men to man hundreds of ships of all types and sta- the work. The mission was so suctions in all theatres of the war.

assisted commercial fishers in many coast guard mission was dispatched to Italy in the fall of 1943 to direct cessful that in the assigned territory Surprising uses have been found fishing was restored,

guardmanned assault transport Bayfield, flagship for "Utah" beach, cared for more than 600 casualties during the three weeks it was anchored off the beachhead. Also Serve in Air.

Outstanding also has been the coast guard's initiative in the experiments with airplane, parachute and helicopter rescue groups, Adm. Russell R. Waesche, first full admiral to head the coast guard, also sits with the Joint Air-Sea Rescue committee set up by all of the armed services to investigate and experiment with rescue techniques.

From the life saving stations. the coast guard acquired personnel well versed in the knack of handling small boats, in battling surf, wind and tide. The nation has drawn heavily on these men to participate in every invasion of the war and to train others in amphibious landings. Many surfmen were among

personnel of the boat pool set up under Coast Guard Comdr. Dwight H. Dexter at Guadalcanal and Tulagi in August, 1942, the Allies' first successful amphibious operation.

Aboard the coasiguardmanned assault transport Samuel Chase. formerly the passenger, ship African Mcteor, the technique of loading small landing barges at the rail was first used in the invasion of Sicily on July 10, 1943. The technique was decided upon after the vessel's earlier experience in the African invasion in November, 1942, and speeded up such operations by many precious minutes.

The coast guard also has been called "A sea-going handyman" and in war or peace the service has become used to having new duties and functions added to its work. After the Titanic disaster, nations of the world formed the International Ice Patrol and the duty of patrolling was delegated to the coast guard.

Glass 'Ornaments' Save Lives in War

If you talk about prisms, Grandma might think you mean the glass ornaments decorating her chandelier. But her grandson, if he's a G.I. Joe, is aware of the fact that solid glass prisms have been the means of saving many lives during the war.

It was early in the war that the army wanted a tank periscope superior to the old-style type made of mirrors and flat glass windows. As a result, glass technicians here developed a new plate glass prism that supplied about a 50 per cent increase in visibility, And equally, if not more important, this superiority was achieved in a unit that could be mass-produced to take care of the desperate need for prisms, traditionally turned out in small quantities by the precise handicraft methods of the optical industry.

When the first U. S. tanks went into combat, however, a great need for prismatic viewing blocks developed. in those first tanks, commanders had to stand in the hatch, exposed to sniper fire if they wanted a full view of their surroundings. An alarming number were killed. The answer was a new type of bulletresisting viewing panel developed by Libbey-Owens-Ford Glass company.

Made of laminated plate glass, the ank observation panels are so placed that tank crews and commanders are enabled to obtain a 360 degree field of vision when in action without having to open the hatch to see "what's going on." The prismatic viewing blocks utilize for the first time the refractive properties

of plate glass to obtain a periscopic. Some indication of the importance of these prisms might be gleaned from the number thus far turned out by the glass concern. To date, more than 2,000,000 have been produced for various instruments of war.

TOO GABBY

While visiting a country school the board of education inspector became provoked at the noise the unruly students made in the next room. Angrily he opened the door and grabbed one of the taller boys who seemed to be doing the most talking. He dragged the boy to the next room and stood him in the corner.

"Now then, be silent and stand there," he ordered. A few minutes later a small boy stuck his head in the room and said, "Please, sir, may we have our

teacher back?" School Fun Teacher-And what is this envel-

ope I'm holding in my hand? Smarty-A pay envelope. Teacher-Correct. And what does

Smarty-Your wages. Teacher-Fine. Now are there any more questions? Voice in the Back-Yes. Where do you work, teacher?

Skip It! Harry-Have you the time? Harry-Ten to what? Jerry-Tend to your own busi

UNRATIONED



Housewife - What do you mean these beans are 40 cents a pound and no strings attached? Grocer-Just what I say, lady. They're stringless.

My Honey Bee Jim-Why is a maid's love like spring? Slim-Why now? Jim-Just one come hither look,

and the sap starts running. Ha! Ha! Slim-Did you hear the story

about the pile of snow? Jim-No. What is it? Slim-Oh, you wouldn't get the

Out on the Farm Clem-I hear yo' bought a brown cow? What for? Lem-So I can have chocolate milk for them summer boarders.

Easy Work Jane-What's your idea of a really easy job? Joan-Counting the hairs on a bald-headed man's head.

Hard-Skinned Mae-Which would you rather go out with, an old nut or an old crab? Kay-It would all depend on who could shell out the most.

Keep Talking Nit-Can you give me five. . . . Nit-minutes of your time. Wit-trouble at all.

Keep Talking

Brown-Can I ask you for five bucks until tomorrow? Blue-You can ask me as long as you like but you still won't get it. Helio . . . Helio

If I were an echo, just for a joke, I'd yell at some fellow before he

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Wifey-A letter came for you to day marked "Private and Per-

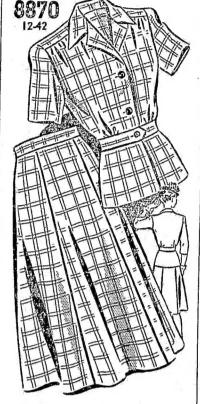
Hubby-What did it say?

All Wet! Jones-I went over to the club's new swimming pool last night, and had more fun diving! Smith-Yes, that's great sport. Jones-I'll have even more fun tomorrow when they put the water in.

Music Hath Charms Jones-Why do you think a harmonica is a good musical instrument for anybody to take up? Smith-Well, I'm practically certain they won't be able to sing while they're playing it.

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1. What is the difference between marriage and matrimony? 2. Poona is a game which originated in India many centuries

ago and is now called what? 3. What month has had the greatest number of presidents born in it? The least? 4. What is the distance of a

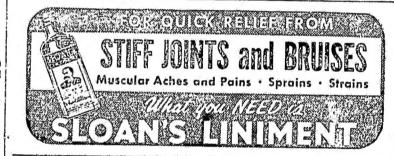
'hair's breadth''? 5. What counterfeit animal caused the downfall of a great

6. Was Stephen Foster, composer, a northerner or southerner? The Answers

1. Marriage denotes primarily the act of unity; matrimony denotes the state of those married. 2. Badminton. 3. November (5); June (0).

4. One forty-eighth of an inch. 5. The Trojan horse. 6. A northerner, born in Pittsburgh, Pa.







The World, the Peace and Andy Gribbin.

An important thing about Andy Gribbin's education is that his whole early life is spent in learning the essential business of cooperation, of getting along with fellow-beings.

First, he has to learn how to fit into his immediate family, learn the give-and-take necessary to get along with brothers, sisters, elders.

Then, after a few years, his world enlarges, he is sent to school. Pretty soon he learns how to spell C-A-T. But about this same time he learns something much more valuable, which is that he mustn't pull the cat's tail because a cat is a being, and therefore entitled to certain inalienable rights.

He also learns that 1 plus 1 equals 2. But much more useful is learning that 48 equals 1, that 48 states make 1 nation, indivisible, with liberty and justice for

As Andy grows up his world will continually expand. At are now before us, church, at school, in business. Second, interest you And through it all will run the theme of cooperation, of getting along with people of different religious, political and economic beliefs; with people some of whom he doesn't even like.

But—the tragedy of world prepared by the war abventising council

history is that the Andy Gribbins have not learned that in a constantly shrinking world, cooperation must extend beyond the borders of the country; that just as it is necessary to get along with neighbors and neighbor states, so is it necessary to get along with neighbor nations.

And today, with no spot on earth more than sixty hours away by plane, with oceans shrunk to the width of rivers. with the age of rocket-travel upon us, all nations are neighbor nations

There are hopeful signs that finally we are awake to this. Even so, a lack of determina-

tion, of responsibility, of effort could again ruin the peace and set the stage for World War 3. What can you do to help make sure that war will never come?

You can ... First, get and keep yourself informed about the specific proposals for peaco and international cooperation which

Second, interest your friends in these questions. Get them discussed in

groups to which you belong. Third, write what you think to your Congressman and Senators, to your newspaper. Declare yourself

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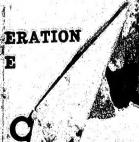
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We have made arrangements with the Woltz Studios, nationally known portrait photographers, to come and take the pictures right here in town. You do not have to order photographs, subscribe to, or be a subscriber to this newspaper, to have your pictures taken and run in this featured event. All that is necessary is that the children be brought by their parents to the photographer on the date and at the location mentioned below. Proofs of all poses will be submitted to the parents, and cuts of approved poses will be prepared, identified, written up, and printed in this paper.

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By DeWitt Emery

(EDITOR'S NOTE: DeWitt Emery is President of the National

demonstrate clearly and con-vincingly that wage earners are

getting a fair share of the fruits of their labor.

anyone, who will give the matter just a little unbiased consideration,

labor and capital, must work toge-ther in order for either to get any

What's needed then is some sort of a simple, easily understood ar-

If a simple, easily understood artangement under which workers are assured of getting all that is rightfully theirs, and which does not take so much away from employers that they have to shut down or go out of business. If, in addition to this, such an arrangement could be worked out so that it would also be heneficial to the general public, that would be ideal, wouldn't it?

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made in hundreds of plants and everyone is happy about it. The

workers in these plants are making more money for the same number of hours on the job. In spite of this, their employers have a lower

cost per unit of production and the public gets in on it because of low-

ered selling prices lue to the de-creased cost of production.

What is it performs this seeming miracle? It's simply the fairest and most equitable means which

incentive pay—more pay for more production. As stated in a previ-cus column, a survey made by the Sixth Regional War Labor Board

in Chicago, shows that incentive pay plans have resulted in a aver-

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It should be perfectly

Odd Fellows' Dining Room, 1 to 8 p. m., Monday, August 13

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9:45 Church School. Miss Min-

CHRISTIAN SCIENCE SOCIETY Sunday services at 10:45 A. M. Wednesday evening meetings, at which testimonies of Christian Sci-

ence healing are given, at 7:30 P. M. All are cordially invited to at-

"Love" is the subject of the Les-

"Love" is the subject of the Lesson-Sermon that will be read in all Churches of Christ, Scientist, on Sunday, August 5.

The Golden Text is: "We have known and believed the love that God hath to us. God is love; and he that dwelleth in love dwelletn in God, and God in him" (I John 4: 16).

The citations from the Bible in-

clude the following passages. "Peloved, let us love one another:

for love is of God; and every one that loveth is born of God, and knoweth God. He that loveth not knoweth not God, for God is love" (I John 4: 7-8).

The Lesson-Sermon also includes

he following selections from the

Christian Science textbook, Science

and misstates the Science of the Scriptures, as, for instance, to name Love as merely an attribute of God; but we can by special and propel capitalization speak of the love of Love, meaning by that what the beloved desciple meant in one of his epistles, when he said, 'God is love,'" (page 319: 271),

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The Week's Headlines

In a two to one victory, Clement Atlee, Socialist, defeated Winston Churchill, Conservative, as Prime Minister of Great Britain. Many spectators witnessed the capture of a cow moose by game wardens staduim-the animal was taken to the Standish state game preserve. President Truman reviewed troops dered his unconditional resignation to take effect July 1, 1936. tated 143 square miles of Japanese 20 YEARS AGO-1925

Governor Horace Hildreth nominated Superior Court Justice Nathaniel Tompkins, to succeed Arthur Chapman, retired on the Supreme Court bench. A B-25 bomb-er crashed into the 78th floor of the Empire State building, 913 feet above Fifth Avenue, New York, Filling 13 and injuring 20 besides causing damage on 10 stories of the 1250 foot building.

The U S Senate voted \$9-2 to accept the United Nations Charter. Carrier planes sank or damaged 15 Jap ships in continued attacks on the Inland Sec. 202 and tacks on the Inland Sea and some 600 B-29's fired six cities with 3,500 tons of bombs. Total German war casualties were said to be 4,064,438. 1,500 American and Brish carrier planes damaged 60 Jap air fields while a task force placed 1,000 tons of shells in the industrial city of Hamamatsu, 120 miles south of Tokyo. A large plane carrier and battleship were damagel at Kure. A 400-mile strip of coast was ablaze after the sea and air uttacks.

For the second time, fleets of R-29's announced the location of their next strikes when they released 720,000 leaflets over 12 doomed cities warming inhabitants to evacu-ate. Rudy Vallee's estate at Kezar Lake, including furnishings has been sold to Frank H Foy of Boston. Army moved to expedite release of former railroad men and to make available planes and pilots so that 25,000 monthly may be flown available planes and phots so that 25,000 monthly may be flown across the country. Majority of the striking welders and tackers at Bath Iron Works plant voted to continue the stoppage. -- (O) .

unions as recognized bargaining Whenever incentive pay is mentioned to a labor leader, his almost automatic reaction is, "I'll

have no part of it, It's simply a clever scheme to speed up production and as soon as that has been ac-complished and the boys are mak-Ing a little more money, rates will be cut, and in the end the pay is less for producing more. No. you can count me out on that." There is some basis of fact for such reetion. There are unscrupulous employers just as there are unscrupu-Small Business Men's Association.)

The present wave of strikes undoubtedly is only the beginning, unless some way can be found to demonstrate classification. a basis of what he produces.

If one individual can produce 50% nore than another, he should be raid 50% more money, and the raid 50% ing rates, Provision, of course, would have to be made to decide tie votes. This can be handled by committee agreeing on some out-side disinterested person, to be called in whenever necessary, to review the rate under consideration and cast the deciding vote.

In one case with which I am familiar, there are six on the incentive pay committee, three each, representing management and labor. The mutually-agreed upon out-side member of this committee has not, in the more than two years the committee has operated been called in, which indicates that there have not been, in this case, any serious disagreements between the management and labor representatives on this committee, on fixing or changing rates.

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Years Ago

10 YEARS AGO-1935 the junction of the old and new loads at Bert Patterson's house. E R Bowdoin was re-elected as Superintendent of Schools and ten-

Blinded by glaring headlights Everett Merrill tipped over with a Ford coupe on Robertson Hill in wolding a collision with a big car.
Herrick Bros Co unloaded a carload of Fords. Mr and Mrs E F Bisbee first oc-cupied their new home on Spring

Street.
F O and H F Robertson opened a washing a greasing stand at Littlefield's stable on Chapman

Twenty-two Fords made a trip around the mountains Sunday, also two Cadillacs and a Stanley Steamer. The route was through Gorham, Randolph, Jefferson, Twin Mountain, Bretton Woods, Crawford and Pinkham Notch. One hundred and two local people were

Frank Byram, new superintend-ent of schools in town. Mrs John Everett and daughter, Ivy were killed when their car was struck by a passenger train at South Paris. Mr Everett escaped with severe injuries.

WEST BETHEL

in the party.

Herman Fuller is visiting his daughter, Maxine Lovejoy.

Mr and Mrs Clayton Kendall, Mr and Mrs Edward Lowell, Mr and Mrs Burton Newton ,and son Roy spent the week end at Bailey's Is

land. Mrs Cathryn Casey returned home Sunday after accompanying her husband as far as Portland. Mrs Florence Westleigh, Mrs Una Jackson, Miss Beatrice Jackson, Arthur Jackson and Horace Meserve of Norway spent Sunlay with Mr and Mrs Fred J Lovejoy. Miss Ruth Walker left Tuesday to spend a few days in Boston

Mass.
There was a Sunday school and church picnic at the Kneeland farm in the Rog Wednesday.

Joseph and Frederick Kneeland have been ill at their home. Miss Beverly Kneeland spent the week end at home.
Percy Ford spent Saturday at his home in Dixfield.
The Pleasant Valley 4-H Club

Mr and Mrs C G Byers of Port-

FARM NEWS

Reports from Holland say that the dairy herds in the Province of Friesland, home of the Holstein-10 YEARS AGO—1935

Curs driven by Stonley Carter and Raynor Littlefield collided at little loss Total number of dairy low normal and farmers are planning to ship some livestock to other parts of Holland, which have suffered more severely.

The new Secretary of Agriculture, Clinton P Anderson, is curly haired, pleasant-faced, and 49. Ho regards himself as primarily a business man, although he was raised on a farm and continues to have farm interests. He owns and operates 800 acres of irrigated land south of Albuquerque, N Mex, and another 640- acre farm near Mitch ell, S Dak, On the former he has some 125 Holstein cattle (both grade and registered) and he raises alfalfa, oats, barley and grain sorghums for feed. He sells milk on the fluid market and belongs to the New Mexico Cattle Growers' Association.

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